Docket No. 292409US0PCT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Kazuhiro IMAI

SERIAL NO: 10/582,090 GAU: 1641

FILED: June 8, 2006 EXAMINER: LUM, LEON YUN BON

FOR: METHOD OF DETECTION, SEPARATION AND IDENTIFICATION FOR

EXPRESSED TRACE PROTEIN/PEPTIDE

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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| It is hereby requested that a three month extension | of time be granted to October 6, 2009 for | | | |
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| filing a response to the Official Action dated: April 6, 2009 | | | | |
| responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated: | | | | |
| filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due | has been timely filed. | | | |
| responding to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application dated: | | | | |
| filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed. | | | | |
| filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on: | | | | |
| Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. | | | | |
| The required fee of \$1,110.00 is being made by credit card payment online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> . | | | | |
| | Respectfully Submitted, | | | |
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